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REMARKS

Applicant has filed this Amendment under 35 CFR §1.312 to correct an obvious error in claim 12.

As presently drafted, claim 12 recites "...said optimum frequency..." Applicant recognized, upon review of the allowed claims, that this claim should be amended as set forth herein, to correspond properly to independent claim 1.

Entry of the Amendment is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees, which may be required in connection herewith or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-1666.

Respectfully submitted,



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